XA-9578 PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Patrick Anthony DUFFY

Appln. No.:

Filed: Herewith

For: COLLAPSIBLE STEERING COLUMN ASSEMBLY FOR A VEHICLE

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, and without any assertion as to materiality or prior art effect, the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 are hereby cited.

The documents on the attached List were cited in a counterpart United Kingdom search report.

Respectfully submitted,

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